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Subject: RE: WIIN Act Notification- New Jersey
Attachments: wiin_PWS-State_NoticeForm_5thSt_181001.pdf; wiin_PWS-State_NoticeForm_Goldsmith_181001.pdf

Good afternoon Christine,

I received your voice mail this morning and just finished putting together the rest of the information we received from the consultant. Attached you'll find the WIIN act data submission forms for the two residences sampled. These forms now have the analytical results information section filled out with copies of the laboratory report and chain-of-custody. These were sequential water samples taken as part of a corrosion control study conducted by Newark Water and Sewer and their consultant CDM Smith. Unfortunately, CDM Smith still has not heard back from Newark Water and Sewer about the status of notification to the affected residences so I have no update to provide for that.

If you have additional questions please feel free to contact Mike Schock (EPA contact) who is copied on this email.

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Hi,

Thank you. I have many questions and am curious as to why we were not immediately informed. Who collected the sample? Why did they collect the sample? Who had a follow up call and who did you speak with? Why are we finding out about this at 2:00 PM the next day? Was the state notified? Please see the attached strategic plan on procedures. I'm available for a conference call today to discuss further.

Tx-Doug

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Hello Doug and Sarah,

In order to comply with the WIIN Act requirements I am sending as much information as I was able to compile on two sequential water sampling sites within Newark, NJ (samples were not collected by EPA). Data from the two sequential sampling sites was shared with EPA by a consulting group on 9/27/18 at 9:35 am and EPA had a follow-up call with Newark Water and Sewer and their consultants later that afternoon. We communicated with those on the call the need to notify the residents of the two houses sampled of their results as soon as possible (and reiterated this in a follow-up email). The water system indicated that they may have already notified the residents as they were already aware of this data. They did confirm that the LSLs at those residences would be removed soon, potentially within the next week, and assured us they would check with the appropriate personnel to determine if residents were notified and if not to immediately notify the residents. I did provide them with the *Notice to Affected Household* sample template language.

I've attached the *Data Submission Forms* for both sampling sites and on the last page of each of the forms are the actual sampling results. The consultant conducted both total and soluble lead analyses and as you'll see the majority of the sequential samples were above 15 ppb. Once I garner the rest of the information required by this form (mainly the Analytical Results Information section) I will send another update. Please let me know if there's anything else that needs to be completed on my end of things, I'm not entirely sure from the reference sheet who is responsible for updating that *WIIN Event Tracking.xlsx* sheet.

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